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## **AiB NEWS UPDATE**

### **MIT SLOAN AFRICA INNOVATE CONFERENCE | April 14<sup>th</sup> 2012**

The MIT Sloan African Business Club is pleased to present its annual Africa Business conference themed “Africa Innovate Conference: Sharing Ideals, Sparking Innovation”. The conference intends to bring together people working on ideas that will shape the African continent for years to come. The unifying theme will be a perspective on how today’s students and tomorrow’s leaders will impact the continent by putting ideas to work. Speakers and participants will explore areas of innovation through Ignite-Style speeches, and four topic-specific “deep dive” panels (China/India in Africa, Mobile & Tech, Media & Entertainment, Agri-Business). This energizing, inspirational day will end with MIT’s greater strength: a business plan competition that will allow participants to meet great mentors and potential investors. This event is scheduled for the 14<sup>th</sup> of April 2012 on the 6<sup>th</sup> floor of Building E14 MIT Media Lab. More information and registration at: [www.mitafrica.com](http://www.mitafrica.com)

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